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NOTICE.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius will be held at each of the undermentioned places as follows, except the same be hereafter changed by Order in Council:—

FALL CIRCUIT.

Richfield, Tuesday, 16th September,
Quesnelle mouth, to be fixed hereafter, if any business,
Clinton, Thursday, 2nd October,
Kamloops, Tuesday, 7th October,
Lytton, Monday, 13th October,
Yale, Thursday, 16th October,
New Westminster, Tuesday, 21st October.

Assize at Nanaimo and elsewhere will, when necessary, be hereafter fixed.

Dated, 17th day of April, 1873.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
jy7

NELSON DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Licensees under the Mining License No. 2, dated July 15th, 1871, intend to apply for a Crown Grant of 1000 acres of the lands included in the said license, as shewn on the diagram left at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

T. ALLSOP,
For self and other licensees.
Victoria, 12th July, 1873. jy14

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BEGS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC That he has this day opened the

THEATRE SALOON

and intends in future to Supply the first quality of

Wines, Liquors & Cigars.

Saturday evening an impromptu Concert will be given. Admission Free, and between the hours of 12 and 2 P. M. the price charged for a glass of Beer, Sandwich, or other refreshment will be ONE BIT.

The public are cordially invited to bestow the merited share of their patronage. jy1

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE
PAID FOR
Furs, Hides,
Wool, Sheepskins
and Calfskins,
BY
L. & J. BOSCOWITZ,
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In the best manner, on Short Notice by

A. BULER,

THEATRE BUILDING, Government Street. jy10

Notice—Barque Brierly Hill, from London.

NEITHER CAPTAIN BAIRD nor the Hudson's Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

JAMES A. GRAHAME,
Hudson's Bay Co.
je24

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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OF THE

BELMONT TANNING

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CAPITAL $100,000—With power to increase. Divided into,

1000 Shares of $100 Each

Deposit 10 per cent.; Calls, not exceeding $10 per Share, at intervals of not less than 30 Days.

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THE COMPANY IS FORMED FOR the purpose of acquiring the property known as the Belmont Factory, situate on Esquimalt Harbor, and the business carried on therein, consisting of Tanning, and Boot and Shoe Manufacturing, and of continuing the same.

The purchase would include the Land, Buildings, Machinery, Plant, Stock-in-Trade and goodwill of the business, all of which it is proposed shall be taken at a valuation to be made by competent disinterested persons.

The Boot and Shoe Department has for the past two years been carried on under the management of Mr. Switzer, almost exclusively by Chinese labor, at a small cost, but the recent addition of the Tannery, which was found a necessity, in order to maintain a sufficient supply of good material, has required a considerable outlay, and renders the introduction of further capital necessary for the proper development of the business.

The Factory is well arranged, and is fitted with the most approved Machinery.

The Tannery has every appliance for the saving of abor.

The Water Power which is utilized for the conduct of Works, is all that could be desired, and could readily be increased to ten times its present power, if at any time required, either for the purposes of this undertaking, or for any other Manufactory. The supply is derived from Springs on the Estate, is very soft in quality, and is never failing.

In fact the business is in thorough working order, and Mr. Switzer's services as Manager of the Works will be retained upon terms favorable to the Company.

The Land consists of 546 acres, known as the Spring Vale Estate, some of which is of excellent quality.

The Timber is of considerable value for Firewood, the situation being favorable for easy delivery.

The operations of the Boot and Shoe Manufactory during the past two years have been highly satisfactory.

The goods are specially adapted to the requirements of the Provincial trade, have given general satisfaction, and at a profit successfully compete with the imported article.

The sales for 1872 amounted to nearly $30,000, which, considering the short time the enterprise had been in operation, shows the favor with which the products have been received.

The importations of Boots and Shoes as declared at the Custom House for the year 1871, was about $100,000, representing a selling value, after adding duties, etc., of say $150,000. The importation for last year fell off considerably, the decrease being doubtless partially occasioned by the local production. In addition to the demand for Boots and Shoes, as evidenced by the Customs House returns, the sales of leather produced at the Tannery have to be taken into account, when considering the entire field for the operations of the undertaking.

The Tannery operations only commenced in August last, and as the tanning process involves a period of several months, the business of this Department is in its infancy—a very superior article is, however, being produced at low prices by an economical process, and, as there is no difficulty in obtaining an abundant supply of Hides, the output will be sufficient for the supply of the general demand for harness, mill belting, &c., in addition to the requirements of the Boot Factory.

The Belmont Boot and Shoe Factory was the first enterprise of its kind established in the Province, and its having been so far carried on with success is an assurance that, as population increases, very remunerative returns will be realised.

The value of industrial institutions to the well being of any country is indisputable, and as the hides produced in the Province are now being manufactured into leather, which in turn is made into Boots and Shoes, &c., (instead of as formerly being exported and the manufactured articles in turn imported,) the saving to the country by the undertaking is sufficiently obvious. It is, therefore, not unreasonable to assume that the advantages which the prosecution of such a reproductive institution insures will, aside from the remunerative character of the business, have due weight with all who are in any way interested in the prosperity of the Province.

It should be remarked that this company will become at once possessed of two businesses with established connections, without any interruption to working or loss of time in transfer, and will therefore have from the first day of its possession a revenue from a business which is capable not only of immediate, but, in the future, almost unlimited extension.

Most similar undertakings of any magnitude are now worked successfully by joint stock companies, both in Great Britain and in the United States.

The transfer of the property to the Company will only be made upon terms satisfactory to the Provisional Board of Directors, based upon the valuation. The purchase will be effected to a large extent in shares retained by the present proprietor, a portion of which will not participate in any profit until a dividend of 10 per cent. has first been paid to the new shareholders.

Applications for shares may be made to the Secretary *pro tem.*, the Bank of British Columbia, or to Messrs. Drake & Jackson. ma21

HAYWARD & JENKINSON

UNDERTAKERS,

Langley Street, Victoria.

Ex PRINCE ALFRED.

HAVE RECEIVED A STRAIGHT Invoice of

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN

COFFIN FURNITURE

AND

TRIMMINGS,

Of New and Improved design all which are offered at REDUCED PRICES to the Trade. jy6

FOR SALE.

THAT WAY SIDE HOUSE FAVORably known as "Mundorf's" or The 124-Mile House, Bonaparte, with Barns and Outbuildings, complete and in good order.

A pre-emption of 160 Acres, about 40 acres now under cultivation, and with Farming implements necessary.

ALSO.

48 HEAD OF CATTLE.

The above is a desirable Way Side House doing a good business. It will be sold with Cattle, etc., or to suit purchasers.

If not sold by the 25th of August, it will then be put up and sold by Public Auction.

For further particulars enquire on the premises.
JACOB MUNDORF.
je30

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

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ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL.....£2,000,000 Sterling

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Losses Settled with Promptitude and Liberality.

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15 PER CENT. DUTY SAVED!

In Canadian Custom-Made Clothing, (Men's and Boys' Sizes.)
In " Felt and Straw Haes, do do
In " Hand Knit Socks.
In " Harness and Saddlery.
In " Butter, No. 1 Quality.
In " Tobacco, Myrtle Navy Brand.
In " Gardner's Celebrated Sewing Machines.

The above Goods have been selected for the British Columbia Market by myself personally, during my visit in Canada. I can confidently recommend them as the Proper Thing.

They will be sold in lots to suit the purchaser, at a small advance on cost.

J. H. TODD,

Yates Street, near Wharf.

Victoria, B. C., April, 1873. je17

FRESH ARRIVALS OF NEW GOODS.

C. STROUSS & CO.

Are receiving every fortnight New and Fashionable Goods from London, France, Germany, New York, and San Francisco.

Their extensive Stock is well assorted, Varied in Styles, and of the Latest Patterns, and Imported direct from the largest manufacturing commercial depots

Particular attention is called to their selections of

Clothing of German Manufacture

which were made up ESPECIALLY TO THEIR ORDER. These Goods for Style, and Quality excel any heretofore introduced into this market, and are offered to the trade at a reasonable advance.

On the Way by Sailing Ships.—"Brierly Hill," "Star of Jamaica," "Windemere" and "Charlotte Clark," a large lot of HEAVY GOODS, consisting of Winter Clothing, Blankets, Wines and Liquors.

AT WHOLESALE.

No. 3 Commercial Row, Wharf street, Victoria. my29dw

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the 7th day of June, 1873, of the Honorable the Privy Council of Canada, it has been decided "that Esquimalt, in Vancouver Island, be fixed as the Terminus of "the Canadian Pacific Railway, and that a "line of Railway be located between the "Harbour of Esquimalt and Seymour Narrows, on the said Island;" and whereas in accordance with the Terms of the said Order in Council, application has been made to His Excellency "the Lieutenant-Governor of "British Columbia, for a reservation and for "the conveyance to the Dominion Government, in trust, according to the 11th Paragraph of the Terms of the Agreement of "Union, of a strip of Land Twenty Miles in "width along the Eastern Coast of Vancouver "Island, between Seymour Narrows and the "Harbour of Esquimalt, in furtherance of the "construction of the said Railway."

And whereas it has been deemed advisable that the Land within the limits aforesaid should be Reserved, prior to any conveyance aforesaid being made thereof. Public notice is therefore hereby given that from and after this date a strip of Land Twenty Miles in width along the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island between Seymour Narrows and the Harbour of Esquimalt is hereby Reserved.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
July 1, 1873. jy1

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BOOMERANG INN

LANGLEY ALLEY.

THE BEST QUALITY OF

Wines and Liquors

and the Finest Brands of

CIGARS,

Will always be on hand at the Bar.
may29 dawtf

Ex "Brierly Hill"

FLOOR OILCLOTH

AND

LINOLEUM.

John Weller,

FORT STREET. je17

NOTICE.

THE BAKING AND CONFECTIONERY Business hitherto carried on by Mr. A. W. Piper will on and after this day be conducted by Mr. Frank Sehl who has become the tenant of the premises in Government street, occupied by Mr. Piper.

Mr. Piper will act as superintendent of the business.
Jun 24 1873. je25

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the faith, &c.,&c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature of Parliament, of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria on Monday the Seventh day of July, next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEO. A. WALKEM, *Attorney-General.*

WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature of Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Monday the Seventh day of July next, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear:

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on MONDAY, the TWENTY-FIFTH day of the month of AUGUST next you meet us in our Legislature, or Parliament, of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
HENRY S. MASON.
Deputy Registrar Supreme Court.
jy7

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
25th June, 1873.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place Robert Patterson Ritchie, of Canoe Creek, Esquire, on the Commission of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia. je30

A Warning to the Inhabitance of Victoria and Vicinity.

FOR TWO YEARS PAST WE have offered to supply your leading Butchers with Meats from one to two cents per pound less than they have paid other parties. For certain reasons they have spurned our offers; these reasons have worked detrimental to your interests as well as ours. We have now made arrangements to supply one of your worthy citizens, Mr. John Parker, with Meats for your market, when he cannot purchase a sufficient supply on your Island, and at prices to compete with other firms. We think you will all be able to discern a marked difference in the prices which he will ask from those which you have had to pay for the past few years.

We wish to warn all persons against entering into any contract with other parties until they have learned the prices which Mr. Parker will ask.

Very respectfully
BOOTH, FOSS & BORST.
Seattle, King County, W. T. je30

TAKE NOTICE

THAT ALL OWNERS OR AGENTS OF Property within the city of Victoria, are hereby requested to cause to be eradicated thistles growing upon their Lots during the season, and should the said owners or agents fail to comply with this notice, the provisions of the Bye-Law in such case made and provided will be strictly enforced.

Per order of the Mayor & Council.
WM. LEIGH,
Clerk Municipal Council.
je27

COLONIAL HOTEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO INFORM their patrons at home and abroad that having purchased the

Colonial Hotel and Restaurant

they intend in future to conduct it on the basis of a First Class House, and to make it as comfortable as any hotel upon the Pacific Coast. They also wish to state that the very best qualities of

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

will be sold at the bars and Restaurant.

LUCAS & REDON - - Proprietors.

Government Street,

VICTORIA, B. C.

YOUNG LADIES

Boarding & Day School.

TOP OF FORT STREET.

French is included in the tuition.—TERMS MODERATE

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The School will re-open Monday, 7th July, next. je25

PRIVATE
BOARDING HOUSE!

FORT STREET, bet. Douglas & Broad Streets

The above establishment is Conducted by

MRS. C. MASON.

BOARD, per WEEK	$5 00
BOARD and LODGING, per WEEK	7 00
BEDS	50
MEALS	37½

☞ Every attention paid to the Comfort of Boarders ☜
je28

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M.D.
SURGEON DENTIST.

DR. BARNARD HAS had for SEVERA months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Wholesome Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.

We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island. For details see daily Colonist.

Office and Residence—Douglas street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Wilson's Tea Store, Business Hours from 8 a. m. till 5 p. m je6tf

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between John Stafford and George Hickin as the firm of Stafford & Hickin, Butchers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. George Hickin retiring on account of ill health and in favor of Mr. J. C. Hutchinson, who is now partner in business with J. Stafford. all parties having any claims against the old firm are requested to present the same at the Queen's Market for payment, and all those indebted to the said firm are respectfully solicited to pay their Bills. J. Stafford, G. Hickin or Lawrence Goodacre will receipt for the same.

JOHN STAFFORD,
GEORGE HICKIN.
July 1st, 1873. jy9

MAPLE BAY.

Where is Maple Bay?

MAPLE BAY IS HALF WAY TO NAnaimo, and is the main outlet of the Great Valley of Cowichan, and is the Prettiest Bay in the country. Parties seeking Health or Pleasure will find it such by staying a short time at

THE MAPLE BAY HOTEL.

WM. BEAUMONT, Proprietor.

N. B.—A Map of Cowichan District kept at the Hotel for the benefit of intending settlers. my20 3m

NEW POTATOES!

Can be had

Fresh dug every morning,

at the store of

William Andean,

GOVERNMENT STREET. je6

S. WHITLEY

BEING ABOUT TO RETIRE FROM HIS Laundry Business, which has been established since 1858, and enjoys the best run of custom in the Province, wishes to dispose of the goodwill thereof on Reasonable Terms. To a competent person an excellent opportunity is offered. Apply immediately on the premises, Douglas street, opposite Dr. Powell's. jy11

Notice.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY Cautioned not to trust my wife on my account as I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract after this date.

Victoria, B. C., July 1873.
jy19 3t WILLIAM JEFFERY

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

EX STAR OF JAMAICA,
FROM LONDON.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Hennesy & Martell,
In case.
E. BROWN.
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Hennesy & Martell,
In punchons, hogsheads and qr casks.
E. BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Holland Gin,
Red, J. D. K. Z.
E. BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Swaine-Boord's Old Tom,
In case.
E. BROWN
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of of Jamaica,
Dunville Whisky,
In barrels.
E. BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica.
Hollands Gin,
In hogsheads.
E BROWN.
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Port & Sherry,
In hogsheads.
E BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Superior Congou Tea,
In chests, boxes, and 6 lb tins.
E BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
COOK & CO'S
Mottled & Yellow Soap,
E. BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Grain Sacks,
Two bushels each.
E. BROWN,
je13 New Westminster.

Ex Star of Jamaica,
Curling's
Citrate of Magnesia.
E. BROWN.
je13 New Westminster.

Sheep! Sheep!

SUBSCRIBERS WISHING TO REDUCE their Flock, offer for sale at Nicola Lake, from 100 to 1000 Ewes; 1, 2 and 3 years Old. The above are chiefly Southdown breed, perfectly free from scab and in good condition. Will be sold cheap.

Apply to
CLAPPERTON & DALLEY.
Nicola Lake, April 19, 1873. Nicola Lake.
je30 3mdw

Belmont Tanning and Foot and Shoe Manuf'g Co. (Limited.)

SHAREHOLDERS ARE HEREBY notified that a second call is payable at the Bank of British Columbia on 6th July next.

The first call is now due and shareholders are requested to pay the same at the Bank of British Columbia, where receipts may be obtained.

BY ORDER OF THE DIRECTORS.
VICTORIA, V. I., June 5, 1873. je6

MURDER.

$500 REWARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS AUTHORized to offer a Reward of $500 to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers of James Dwyer and his wife Selina Dwyer, on San Juan Island, on or about the 14th inst.

HENRY SAUNDERS,
Victoria, B. C., May 19, 1873. my20

Estate of Thomas R. Buie, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO, or having claims against the estate of Thomas R. Buie, late of Lytton, Merchant, deceased, are requested to pay such debts, or send particulars of such claims to Mrs. Agnes L. Buie, Lytton, B. C., the administratrix of the deceased.

ROBERTSON & JOHNSON,
Barristers, &c.
Victoria, 6th June, 1873. je6 1mdw

To Whom it May Concern.

KNOW THAT I HAVE AUTHORIZED by power of attorney John Johnson, of Victoria, to act for me, and in my name transact all business matters connected with any Real Estate I now own or may own in the Town of Fort Hope, Province of British Columbia.

DONALD CHISHOLM.
Kootenay, B. C., May 20th, 1873. je17

WASHING & IRONING

Sing Yuen,

38 FORT STREET, opposite Wilson's Grocery.

Washing and Ironing done Properly and with dispatch. jy2

Sanitary Precautions.

From all quarters, we observe by our exchanges, active preparations are going on under municipal authority, in anticipation of a visit from that dread enemy of mankind, the cholera. Although the press and the telegraph are very reticent as to the progress of the disease and the havoc it is making, enough, however, is made public to show that it is gradually spreading from place to place, carrying off its victims in greater or lesser numbers, and giving rise to the most gloomy apprehensions as to ultimate consequences. The months of August and September have, during past visitations of the cholera, been the most fatal, in which also it has spread with the greatest rapidity throughout the country, and it is quite possible such may be the case this year. However, the nature of the disease, its cure and prevention, are very much better understood now than they used to be, and hence by a careful observance of those laws which pertain to health, both dietetic and sanitary, the disease may be entirely avoided, or its fatal effects very materially mitigated. As the people of this coast are not subject to the same extremes of heat during the summer season as those of the Atlantic States and Eastern Provinces, there is the less probability of the cholera becoming epidemic amongst us; but that is no reason why we should neglect to take those precautionary measures that are being taken by other communities, lest it should make its appearance amongst us. That the disease is contagious, very few now entertain any doubt, and in view of the constant intercourse now going on between the Eastern States and California, should it assume an epidemic form in the East, it will be almost certain to make its presence felt in California and over the whole Pacific Coast. It therefore behooves our Municipal authorities to prepare themselves for whatever contingencies may arise. "An ounce of preventive is better than a pound of cure," and we trust our City Fathers will see the propriety, for the reasons we have stated, of being governed by this homely but truthful old adage. Victoria was never in a more uncleanly condition than it is at this present moment. The gutters are as foul as filth of all kinds can make them. If any one doubts it, let him just take a walk of an evening down Johnson street, and if his sense of smell is at all acute, he will be only too glad to get beyond the reach of the poisoned atmosphere which will there assail him. And what is true of Johnson street is also true of nearly all the principal streets in the city. The want of a proper system of drainage, is doubtless the primary cause of the offensive and unhealthy condition of our public thoroughfares; but it is quite possible for the City Council to abate the nuisance, even if they do not possess the means to cure it effectually. The gutters can at least be cleansed and deodorized, and a stop be put to the practice of hotel keepers, keepers of wash houses, etc., emptying their slops either directly or indirectly into them, there to form stagnant pools emitting poisonous odours, eminently calculated of themselves to breed disease, and, in case of cholera, to render it infinitely more deadly in its effects than it otherwise would be. The Council should, as a Board of Health, lose no time in instituting a thorough inspection not only into the sanitary condition of the highways and by ways of the city, but also into the condition of every yard, outhouse, cesspool, etc., within the thickly settled portions thereof, and insist upon the instant removal of everything of an offensive character, or that is in any degree calculated to breed disease or impair the general health of the community. We are told that in the Chinese quarter on Cormorant street, and also along the line of the ravine from Government to Store street, there is an accumulation of filth that is absolutely enough to endanger the safety of the whole city, irrespective altogether of what might happen in the event of cholera breaking out amongst us. Chinese and Indians are proverbially filthy in their habits, but while it is impracticable to remove them out of the way and thus get rid of them altogether, it is quite within the power of the Council to enforce a proper observance of the sanitary by-law, and that they should do with as little delay as possible. We presume all that would be necessary would be to detail a couple of policemen to make a proper inspection of the premises of these people, and not these alone, but other people as well, to give orders for the removal of all offensive rubbish and a thorough cleansing of every place that requires to be cleansed, and to see that those orders are implicitly obeyed. This should be done, cholera or no cholera, and if the Council only act upon these suggestions, they wi'l deserve the thanks of all classes of this community.

New Advertisements.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

AUCTION

SALE OF

Cattle, Stock,

Horses, Harness.

Farming Implements

Household Furniture, Pictures, Library and other Effects.

PLUMMER&PAGDEN

WILL SELL AT

COWICHAN,

At an early date, the Furniture, Stock, Farming Implements, &c., of a family leaving the settlement.

Date and full particulars in a fuw days.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,
jy23dw Auctioneers

BRICKS!

OF FIRST QUALITY CAN BE HAD ON application at the Yard, Saanich Road, or to Burns & Dwyer, Agents, Yates street.
je21 GEO. MASON.

For Sale.

ONE Double Seated Covered Carryall.
One Single Seated Light Buggy.
je24-1m W. M. KEOHAN, Douglas Street.

New Advertisements.

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CASE

FURNITURE

Meat Safes, Wardrobes Bureaus, Bureau and Draw Washstands,

Metal and Wood Lathes,

MarbleTop Furniture

Bedsteads in all varieties, Bed-room & Tea Poy Tables, Glassware, Lamp Chimnies.

CROCKERY.

Rockingham Tea and Flower Pots, Brown Stoneware, Basins, Mugs, Chambers, Milk Dishes.

The above line of goods will be sold

at Our Salesroom Wharf st.

Monday, July 29th 1873,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A M.

Particulars on Friday.

jy23 J. P. DAVIES & Co, Auctioneers

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

J. P., DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions from

Capt. Delacombe, R. M.

To sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

Thursday, 7 Aug., 1873,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

All his Superior well made Desirable

FURNITURE.

Acclimatised first class Piano.

CHOICE CHROMOS.

Sterling Silverware,

Wardrobe, Sideboards,

Marble Top Bed-room Suits, Drawing-room Set.

Handsome Chandeliers,

China, Glassware, Etc.

Particulars on Tuesday next. jy23

CLOSING OUT SALE!

J. P. DAVIES & CO

Have been instructed to sell

At their Salesroom Wharf St.

Monday, August 4th, 1873

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The Stock of a Trader.

Consisting of

Prints, Calicoes, Shawls, Dress Goods plaids, Balmoral Skirts and Skirting, Coats, White and Grey Cotton, Pants, Vests, asst. Shirts, Underclothing,
2½ and 3 point Blankets, Flannels, Drilling, Powder, Shot, Soap, Boots and Shoes, Spool Cotton, Braces, Hats and Caps, Towels, Socks, Neck Ties, Show Cases, Hoops, Fairbank Scales, Seine and Sturgeon Twine, Overalls, Pistols, Vermillion, Furniture, Etc, Etc

jy23 J. P. Davies & Co, Auctioneers

Furnished Rooms To Let.

A SITTING ROOM AND ONE OR TWO Bedrooms, pleasantly situated. Apply to
T. ALLSOP & CO., Land Agents,
Government street, Victoria. jy12

BASS' ALE IN QUARTS and pints.

YOUNGER'S EDINBURGH ALE

In Quarts.

FOR SALE BY

SPROAT & CO.,

WHARF STREET. jy3 1m

HENRY GERKE

DEALER IN

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS

BLUE POST,

CORNER OF

Douglas & Johnson Streets.

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New Advertisements

Wanted

A COMPETENT TAILOR AT T. W. Pierre's Dyeing and Tailoring shop, Yates street, next to Wells Fargo & Co.'s jy22

Metchosin Church.

THE FOUNDATION STONE of the above Church will be laid by Mrs. Hills on Thursday next, July 24th, at 3:30 P. M.
The friends of the Church and the public generally are invited to be present at the ceremony.
A collection will be taken up in aid of the building fund of the new structure. jy22dwtd

Farm For Sale.

FOR SALE, WITHIN ONE MILE OF Fort Langley, a farm containing 220 Acres of Land. It is an excellent Stock Ranch; 80 acres are fenced; there are good Sheds and Dwelling House, Ten Head of Live Stock, Agricultural Implements, Household Furniture, &c.
The above is one of the best situations for a homestead on the Lower Fraser, and water communication can be had all the year round with the Fraser River. Price made known on application to the proprietor on the premises.
In addition to the above property the proprietor offers for sale a suburban Lot of 14 acres situate at the end of the Mud Bay Road, on the south bank of the Fraser opposite New Westminster. This is one of the best sites for a saw mill or for a fishing station, having a neverfailing stream of Water.
For full particulars apply at this office or to
JAMES KENNEDY,
jy22 Langley, B. C.

Notice.

THE FINAL ADJOURNED MEETING of the Court of Appeal under the Wild Land Tax Act 1873, will be held at the office of R. Woods, Esq Police Barracks, on Tuesday the 22nd Instant, at 12 o'clock, noon.
K. McKENZIE,
F. J. ROSCOE,
jy14 R. WILLIAMS.

EX STAR OF JAMAICA

Brierly Hill,

AND OTHER

Recent Arrivals from London.

BLANKETS—2½ pt. in White, Blue, Green & Scarlet, 3 pt. do do do do
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

CLOTHING—The Newest Styles in English and Canadian Clothing,
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

COTTONS—Drilling, Denims, Horrocks' and other Longcloths, Grey Cottons, White and Grey Sheetings,
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

HOSIERY—Men's Co[illegible]n, Lambswool, Worsted Socks, W[illegible]en's White and Colored Cotton [illegible] riped and Fancy Worsted and [illegible] on Hose,
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

HABERDASHERY—Of every description.
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

SHIRTS—Crimean, Fancy Cotton, Silk, Regatta and White,
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

QUILTS, Counterpanes and Bed Ticks,
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

PRINTS and Ginghams, of the Newest Styles,
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

DRESS GOODS—Plaids, Lustres, Poplins, Linseys, Coburgs, Cloths, Alpacas, &c.
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of English and Canadian Cloth and Tweeds.
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

SACKS—Grain and Flour Bags
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

Liquors.

IRISH WHISKY—Fawcett's, in case
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

SCOTCH WHISKEY—Finest Islay, Benmore and Loch Katrine, in cases
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

SHERRY—Amontillado and Double Crown in cases
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

BRANDY—Champagne Vineyard Proprietors, in bulk, of the celebrated vintages of 1851, 1855, 1862 and 1864; also 1867 and 1869.
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

ALE & PORTER—Foster's
For Sale by
[T]urner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

Sundries.

PERFUMERY—Price & Co's celebrated.
For Sale by
[T]urner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

ÆRATED WATERS—Soda, Seltzer and Potash Waters, from Rawling & Co. London
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

PIANOS—Boudoir Cottage, 7 Octaves, in Walnut case, London Manufacture.
For Sale by
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

GALVANIZED IRON—Castle brand.
For Sale by
jy13 Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Wharf Street

Notice.

WHEREAS MUCH DAMAGE HAS BEEN Caused by picnic parties and others, lighting fires and destroying crops, timber and fencing on Yates Point and grounds adjacent thereto, on Victoria Arm, the property of Mr. James Yates,—Notice is hereby given that persons trespassing or lighting fires on the said land after this date will be prosecuted as the law directs.
W. G. BOWMAN.
Victoria, B. C., 19 July, 1873 jy21 1m

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MERCHANT TAILOR,

YATES STREET, opposite J. S. Drummond's store.

GENTLEMEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING manufactured to order at very low rates, and in the latest styles.
Flour Bags made to order at short notice. mh[illegible]dw

New Advertisements.

GENERAL ABSTRACT.

Showing the average amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the Bank of British North America, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1873.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest...	$ 77,670 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver..........	$ 67,009 70
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	26,459 84	Gold Bullion..........	9,242 70
Deposits ON CALL, not bearing Interest.....	90,900 40	Landed and other Property..........	18,000 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL, bearing Interest...	284,170 70	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	251,587 50
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank...	170,924 20
Total amount of Liabilities..........	$479,200 94	Total amount of Assets..........	$5 6,764 10

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June 1873........$5,000,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders..........10 per cent per Annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year..........$250,000 00
Amount of reserved profits at the time of declaring said Dividend..........$1,411,065 00

(Signed) HENRY A. TUZO, Manager,
(Signed) J. GOODFELLOW, Accountant.
VICTORIA, B. C., 30th June, 1873.

I, Henry Atkinson Tuzo do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Province of this Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the Provisions of the Banking act 1864.

(Signed) H. A. TUZO, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B.C., this 8th day of July, 1873.
jy17 (Signed A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

David Green

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING EMPORIUM!

Government St next door to the St. Nicholas Hotel,

HAS just Received per Steamer a large and well assorted Stock of Custom Made

Gentlemen's Clothing of the Latest Fashion,

Consisting of

FINE CASSIMERE SUITS,
FRENCH CASSIMERE PANTS,
BLACK DOESKIN PANTS,
FINE FRENCH MERINO SHIRTS AND DRAWERS,
CRIMEAN OVERSHIRTS,
BEST QUALITY DAVIS & JONES' WHITE SHIRTS, also FINE EMBROIDERED SHIRTS.
FRENCH AND AMERICAN FELT HATS of the Latest Styles.

ACROSTIC.

Do, I pray you step in as you're passing along
And choose a nice Suit which you'll get for a song,
Vain were it, then elsewhere to try
If my choice lot don't please your eye,
Depend that I'll not charge too high.

Great bargains having made of late,
Resolved I am what e'er my fate:
Each customer that calls on me
Eclat shall meet, and soon will see
No other dress'd so well as he.

All of which I offer for sale at Small Advance on Cost.

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L. F. CUVREAU.

SPRING VALLEY NURSERY,

Timothy Hay For Sale.

jy21 1m

A. RICKMAN

WHOLESALE, RETAIL AND Family Grocer.

HAS ALWAYS ON HAND A GENERAL Assortment of

SELECT GROCERIES.

CORNER OF

Government and Fort Streets

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Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Richard Brodrick and Francis Garesche, under the firm name of R. Brodrick & Co., in this city, has been dissolved on the 12th inst. by mutual consent. Francis Garesche having conveyed his interest to Julius F. E. Engelhardt of this city.
Richard Brodrick is authorised to settle all outstanding business of the late firm.
Victoria, 19th July, 1873.
RICHARD BRODRICK,
jy19 FRANCIS GARESCHE.

Co-partnership Notice.

RICHARD BRODRICK AND JULIUS F. E. Engelhardt, of this city, have entered into Partnership, under the firm name of R. Brodrick & Co.
Victoria, 19th July, 1873.
RICHARD BRODRICK,
jy19 J. F. E. ENGELHARDT.

For Sale.

ONE ACRE AND A HALF, PART OF Suburban Lot 7, Victoria; well worth the attention of persons requiring a homestead.
Apply to
jy19 1m DRAKE & JACKSON.

Municipal.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Court for the Revision of the Municipal Real Estate Assessment Roll, 1873-4, will hold an adjourned sitting on Thursday evening next, the 24th inst., at 8 P. M.
EXCERPT from the Municipal Act, 1872, Section 2:—
The person or persons so assessed, if he or they shall complain of his or their assessment, shall within one month after the time fixed for returning said Roll, notify in writing the Clerk of his or their grounds of complaint.
WM. LEIGH,
City Council Chambers, C. M. C.
7th July, 1873. jy18

Wanted

A FIRST CLASS BOOK-KEEPER FOR Port Townsend; wages liberal.
Apply to
L. & J. BOSOWITZ,
jy4 Wharf street, Victoria.

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until Saturday noon, 19th inst., for the erection of a small store in Government street. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
E. MALLANDAINE.
Government Street, July 16th, 1873. jy16

Gentlemen visiting Esquimalt will find at the

GLOBE INN

THE BEST

Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds, Billiard and Bagatelle Tables, with Skittle Alley attached.

WILLIAM SELLECK,
Proprietor. jy1

Nevada Metallurgical Works,

No. 21 FRONT St., 3 doors from Market St.

RIOTTE & LUCKHARDT,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

ORES CRUSHED, SAMPLES ASSAYED and Worked; Working Tests made by any process. Consultations on Mining and Metallurgy in all their branches. Samples sent per Wells Fargo & Co.'s Express to our address. Returns forwarded without delay C. O. D.
REFERENCES IN VICTORIA—C. C. Lane, Otis Parsons. my16 1y

EDWARD MOHUN

CIVIL ENGINEER

AND

SURVEYOR.

GOVERNMENT STREET, between Fort and Broughton Streets mh31

Driard House

Hotel & Restaurant.

MR. HY. CAZABAN returns his thanks to the gentry and public for past favors and support, and at the request of many friends and patrons has opened a

First Class Restaurant

at the above Hotel. Meals will be provided at all hours and the table supplied with the best the Market Affords. The bar is supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars. A fine Billiard table for the use of the guests is connected with the Bar-room.
Schaffer's full brass band has been engaged by the proprietor to play in the cupola of the Hotel every Monday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Wedding, Breakfasts, Balls, Suppers, and Private Parties served at short notice.

H. CAZABAN.
jy19

KWONG LEE & CO.

Importers of

CHINESE MERCHANDISE.

Cormorant St., Victoria, B. C.

HAVE BRANCH HOUSES AT YALE, Quesnellemouth, Barkerville and at the Forks of Quesnelle.
Commission Merchants and Wholesale Dealers in

Rice, Sugar, Opium, and all kinds of Chinese Merchandise and Provisions.

Also on hand—CONGOU TEA in half chests, Basket and all kinds of best Teas. Duck Jumpers and Pants; Denim Overalls and Jumpers; and a variety of other goods too numerous to mention.
VICTORIA, July 15th, 1873. jy16 3mdw

HENRY SHORT,

GUN AND RIFLE MAKER,

HAS RECEIVED PER EXPRESS From London,
Double and Single Barreled Fowling Pieces,
Breech and Muzzle loading Rifles,
Henry's Rifles,
Colt's, Smith & Wesson's, Sharp's Repeater, Ballard's Derringer and other Pistols always on hand.
Apparatus for Loading and Recapping Central Fire and Pin Breechloaders.
Cartridge Cases and Caps for ditto.
Powder Flasks, Shot Bags, Powder Horns.
METALLIC CARTRIDGES for Henry's, Smith & Wesson's, Ballard's, Spencer's and other Rifles.

Fishing Tackle.

SPORTING AND POCKET CUTLERY, from the best makers.

Government Street near Pandora.
jy13 3m

NOTICE.

PURCHASERS of Surveyed Lands in New Westminster District, upon which instalments are due, are requested to complete their payments at the Land Office in Victoria or New Westminster, at an early date.
By Command.
ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 18th July, 1873. jy19dw

CHOICE FRUITS, &c.

EX PRINCE ALFRED.

ORANGES, LEMONS, LIMES, APPLES, Pears, Plums, Apricots, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Cherries, Strawberries, and all the delicacies of the season.

At W. B. Townsend's

FORT STREET.

Agent for the sale of Clarkson's New Westminster and Sparra's Salt Spring Island Strawberries.
W. B. T. would respectfully inform the public that he has opened the adjoining store as a

FISH MARKET

where he will keep the best supply of Fresh Fish and Vegetables the market affords. je27

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY

FIRE AND LIFE.

HEAD OFFICE, Liverpool.

Capital Two Millions Sterling, £2,000,000

UNLIMITED

LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS

SPROAT & CO.,

Wharf Street,

AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

je28 1m

BANK NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the fifteenth of July next, our Bank at Victoria, B. C., will be closed. Mr. F. Garesché is authorised to act for us in settlement of all outstanding business.
WELLS FARGO & CO.
By HOMER S. KING, Treasurer.
San Francisco, June 9th, 1873. je27

F. GARESCHE,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA.

DEALER IN EXCHANGE, BULLION, and U. S. Currency, and

Agent of Wells Fargo & Co.'s Express.

Drafts on San Francisco, London, Eastern Cities and Canada, at current rates. je27

Corporation of the City of Victoria.

RETAIL LIQUOR DEALERS

TAKE NOTICE, that the Certificates granting Permission to sell Wines, Spirits, &c., by Retail, have been placed in my hands and can be obtained from me upon application and payment of the amount of License.
By Order.
THOS. RUSSELL,
je26 2w Collector.

J. Rueff & Co.

OFFER FOR SALE

Ex Recent Arrivals.

100 Chests No. 1 U S Tea,
50 half Chests Congou Tea,
300 kegs S. I. Sugar, Nos 1, 2, 3
200 boxes Price's Candles,
100 do American Candles,
100 do Coal Oil,
100 do Castile Soap,
400 do California Soap,

And a general assortment of

Groceries and Oilman's Stores.

Wharf Street.
jy19 1m

Ex Star of Jamaica and Brierly Hill

FROM LONDON.

Pickles—Cross & Blackwell's and Copland's
Vinegar—in casks, jars and bottles,
Worcestershire Sauce—pints & ½ pints,
Glenfield Starch,
Salad Oil—pint and ½ pint bottles,
Sardines—½ and ¼ boxes,
Hair Oil—Large and small bottles,
Chocolate—Prize Medal and Eating,
Currants—in cases and tins,
Candles—Price's Belmont Sperm,
Oatmeal—Robinson's in 25 lb. tins,
Soap—Cook's Mottled and Yellow,
Jelly—Red and Black Currant in tins,
Curry Powder, Cayenne, Capers, Olives, Patent Groats, Split Peas, Ultramarine Blue in ½ lb. boxes, Mustard, &c., &c.

ALSO, in Stock, a general assortment of

Groceries & Provisions.

RICHARD CARR,

WHARF STREET. je18

GENERAL GOODS

At Private Sale.

700 Bags Brewer's Barley,
260 do Feed Barley,
50 do Ground Corn,
40 do Biscuit,
800 Mats No. 1 China Rice,
200 do No. 1 Siam Rice,
60 Bbls. Circle A Sugar,
150 ½ bbls. do do
250 Kegs Extra Heavy Golden Syrup,
90 Bbls. and half bbls Golden Syrup,
40 Boxes Ground Coffee, in tins,
15 Bales Butcher's Paper,
200 Boxes French and American Candles,
25 Tierces Salt Beef,
50 pkgs First Catch Oolahans,
30 crates Silver Gloss Starch,
30 doz. Buckets,
20 crates Floor Pails,
25 nests Wash Tubs,
70 doz. Wash Basins,
270 cases St. Julien Claret,
300 pr. Blue, Grey Blankets,
12 hogsheads California Wine,
50 cases California Wine,
60 cases of those Crackers,
500 lbs. Prussian Bluing, 1 lb boxes,
Assortment Canadian Boots & Shoes,
Waltham Watches in all sizes,
A large assortment of Silver Plated Ware,
50 doz. Corn Brooms, Nos. 1, 2 & 3,
20 doz. Demijohns ½, 1 and 2 Gallons,
30 boxes The Merrino Toilet Soap,
— cases Champagnes and Bitters,
20 cases 6, 8, 10 and 12 inch 30 hour, 8 day and Alarm Clocks,
50 doz. Embroidered Slippers,
20 gross assorted Table Cutlery,
Dining-room, Hall and Regulator Clocks, in variety, &c., &c.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

WHARF STREET. je16

Lost, Yesterday.

A NOTE OF HAND ON THE BANK of British Columbia, between Government and Blanchard streets, signed by Charles Alexander and endorsed by A. Bunster. The finder will please leave it at this office.
jy21 1w CHARLES ALEXANDER.

The Daily Standard

Wednesday, July 23, 1873.

A CARICATURE.—We understand that there is in preparation by one of our cleverest artists, a caricature representing a certain individual of the *Colonist* staff imploring a member of the Cabinet for "Government pap" wherewith to nurse "the elephant" recently added to our contemporary's menagerie. The "people's government" refuse the prayer for certain reasons, one being that the Government itself has use for all the spare sugar it has to dispose of,—sugar for the black horse, sugar for the Attorney General's dog, sugar for the policeman's chickens, and sugar for the baby. In the background is a representative Brother Jonathan, listening to the conversation, and who pricks up his ears on hearing let fall from the lips of one of the party concerned, "Annexation." The conversation is supposed to run thus: "A.G.—Go away David, I despise a man who denies his country; you thanked God that you were not a British subject." David,—"Ah! that was when I thought we were going to have annexation." The picture will be on exhibition this morning; copies may be had at Shakespeare's photographic gallery. "Hunting for the Terminus," is on the easel, and will shortly be produced. This should form a good subject for a caricature.

PRESIDENT MACMAHON.—The following is from a Paris letter to a New York journal:—"President MacMahon's first reception was the most brilliant official festival since the fall of the Empire. The house was filled with army officers, all in full uniform, and literally everybody was present. Versailles has narrow resources in the way of conveyances and though the rain fell in torrents, everybody had to walk from the railway station to the President's house. There was not a Duke left in the Faubourg St. Germain; all the Orleans family were present. There were 800 persons in the salon. The Marshal President was in buoyant spirits. He wore the uniform of a Division General and on it the Grand Cordon of the Legion of Honor, and the military medal. Mme. de MacMahon was attired in blue and white, the blessed Virgin's colors, to place her husband's administration under Mary's protection.

SECOND FLYING SQUADRON.—A Halifax, N S., dispatch of the 7th of this month announces the arrival at that port from Bermuda of the Narcissus, Topaz, (formerly on the Esquimalt station) Immortalite, Endymion, and Aurolea, the ships of the British detached flying squadron. They made a handsome marine picture steaming up the harbor in line, and crowds of people on the wharves witnessed it. The fleet is under the command of Admiral F. A. Campbell. After remaining a week or ten days, they would proceed to St. John, N.F. The cruise of the squadron, which is composed of crack vessels, has been a most satisfactory one. They have had very little sickness, and only four deaths by casualty or disease have taken place.

SEAL.—Mr Pfeifer, of Store street, has a young seal which he has domesticated within a week. He took it outside the harbor, near Discovery Island; yesterday the amphibious creature might have been seen disporting itself off Leneven's wharf, swimming to and from its owner's boat, at his beck and call. "Charlie," he calls it, and when Charlie was wanted, Charlie came and allowed himself to be lifted into the boat, patted on the head, again given his liberty in the water. The animal is a real pet of its species.

VICTORIA.—The steamer Gussie Telfair will sail from Victoria for Portland to-day. The U.S. steamer Saranac sailed from Victoria for Sitka on the 16th. Reports are current in Victoria that some six mutilated bodies, from the George S. Wright had been found. The local press of that place are urging the necessity of sending a vessel to ascertain the facts in regard to it. There is much excitement in Victoria in regard to the discovery of rich gold bearing rock on Queen Charlotte Island.—*Olympia Courier, July 19.*

"LOD GODON."—The case of Lord Gordon, whose kidnapping by Western officers was reported by telegraph, excited much comment among the bankers on Wall and Broad streets. Recently efforts had been made to induce Lord Gordon to leave Fort Garry, Canada, and to come to the United States. Gordon is said to have defrauded Jay Gould of about $300,000, and it is to recover this money or a portion of it that the suits have been instituted against him.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise left here at 10 o'clock yesterday morning for New Westminster with a crowded passenger list, and a quantity of freight principally consisting of salmon barrels. Amongst about 40 passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Dewdney, Mrs. C. F. Green, Mrs. Oppenheimer, Miss Allard, Mr. Pettrou, wife and family, Messrs. O'Reilly Mahood, Gibbs, Beeton, Kennedy, Irving, Pinder and Lequime.

FOR THE EAST COAST.—The steamer Douglas sailed at seven o'clock yesterday morning for Nanaimo and way ports, with H.M. mails, a number of passengers, and a quantity of freight. The following were on board: Mrs. Young, Miss Lindsay, Mrs. Fawcett and two children, Mrs. Antoine, Capt. Cooper, Messrs Levi, Loat, Peck, Wing, Young, Clemitson, Hickling, and a dozen others.

WATER SUPPLY.—Mr. Snyder, of Lake district, is negotiating with the Water Commissioner for the value of his property, which will be affected by the construction of the Beaver lake dam, about to be commenced. The matter will be left to the arbitrament of the Hon. Arthur Bunster M.P.P., and Doctor James Trimble; the former will represent Mr. Snyder, the latter the Commissioner.

LAND SURVEYS.—Messrs. Dewdney and Mahood left yesterday morning for the Mainland to engage in surveys of the public lands of the Province. The former mentioned will survey the pastoral leases of the upper country. Mr. Mahood together with Mr. Turner of New Westminster, will take the lands of the Lower Fraser, and lay them out in six mile blocks for settlement.

HARD ON THE LOVERS.—Hymen was said to be enjoying a vacation in Nova Scotia. All marriage licenses in that Province must receive the signature of the Governor before the ceremony could be legally performed, and as Governor Howe is dead and his successor, Judge Johnson, was still in Europe, the lovers of Nova Scotia are not happy.

FOR THE SOUND.—The steamer North Pacific took away upwards of seventy-five passengers for the Sound, amongst whom were Mrs. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Silverman, Mrs. Engles, Mrs. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Monastes, Messrs. Rice, Storey, French, Edgar, Simms, Leonard, Eckstein, Hutchinson, and Professor Ruian.

SIDEWALK OBSTRUCTION.—A petition is being signed, to be presented to the Corporation, setting forth the inconvenience to pedestrians consequent on the obstruction during the erection of the Federal buildings, on Government street.

"We are all Right with the Globe."

We find the following in a leading place in the *Globe* newspaper of Saturday last:—

"In reference to the use of my name by Sir Hugh Allan in the Pacific Railway correspondence published yesterday, I deem it due to my friends throughout the country to say that, in proposing to reserve $50,000 of the stock of the Pacific Railway Company for my subscription, the suggestion was the act of Sir Hugh Allan alone, and without authority from me or knowledge on my part. I have never in my life had the slightest interest, directly or indirectly, in any contract or work of any kind dependent on public aid; and the Pacific Railway contract was certainly the last enterprise I could under any circumstance, have been induced to touch.

"GEO. BROWN."

It is quite possible to believe every word Mr. Brown says in this short notification to his readers, and at the same time hold him guilty of having "made it all right" with Sir Hugh Allan. Of course the allotment of $50,000 of stock was made without Mr Brown's knowledge or authority. No one doubts that. Mr. Brown had been there before. Such devious ways are not new to him. But if he did not want to know that $50,000 was to be put to his credit, we can hardly doubt, in the face of Sir Hugh Allan's statement, that Sir Hugh had made it "all right with the *Globe*," and that in consequence of an understanding with Mr. Brown—it makes no difference whether it was George Brown or his brother. It won't do to assume the patriotic, dear friend of Bow Park! The really virtuous woman is never approached. In you Sir Hugh Allan well knew his man. And your paltry denial evading wholly the main question, is simply confirmatory proof of the truth of the allegation, "We are all right with the *Globe*."—*Toronto Mail, July 7.*

RICH GOODS.—We notice in the windows of London House, Government street, silks, millinery, dry goods, carpets, &c., worthy a stand in the best London or New York show windows. For excellence of quality or design they cannot be surpassed.

DEAD.—Lord Marjoribanks, previously Mr. Robertson, M P., died on the 20th ult., less than a week after he had been made a Peer. He was eighty years old. His briefly held title becomes extinct for want of an heir.

FROM DEPARTURE BAY.—The Constitution towed down from Departure Bay by the steamer Isabel, arrived yesterday on her way to San Francisco.

INSANE.—Andrew McBroom was handed over on Monday to the authorities of the Lunatic Asylum, being of unsound mind and not under proper care or control.

DR. Mary E. Walker has been appointed to a $900 clerkship in the United States Treasury Department.

The Water Question.

VICTORIA, MONDAY EVENING, July 21st.

EDITOR STANDARD,—It occurred to me as I went home this evening, and the first thing I heard was that the watermen had not come, the well was dry, and no water in the house, that the water question had not been discussed enough. That a public meeting had been held, resolutions passed, lengthy correspondence published in the papers, but no beneficial result to the public yet obtained. I do not pretend to decide who is right and who is wrong, between the Municipal Council and the Spring Ridge Water Co.; but all I know is that between the two contending parties, the public suffers as usual. It is a common saying that Corporations have no souls; and it is proved in this instance, as the Water Co. certainly did not consult the welfare of the community when they decided to shut the water off although they certainly gave sufficient warning. On the other side, the City Corporation, it seems, ignored altogether the necessity of the public at large, but only provided (or supposed they have done so) for the need of the Fire Department.

The city of Victoria has not, at any time, been supplied with any abundance of water, and I must certainly differ with the city fathers in their statement that the city is better supplied now than when the Water Co. was in operation. Unfortunately, in the discussion between the City Council and the Water Co., a good deal of animosity and personal feeling has been shown on both sides. If the Water Co. was bound by contract to supply water for the Fire Department free of charge, it was the duty of the Council to see that the company performed their contract, and if necessary, to take legal proceedings to enforce it. But instead of taking that course, the City Council, after leading the citizens to think that the Water Co. was bound to furnish water perpetually to the city, allowed the same company to cease the supply without taking any step to enforce their rights. It is clear by this that the City Councillors were not sure of their position, and that they would have entered into negotiations with the Water Co., is shown by the letter that his Worship the Mayor published in the *Colonist* last Sunday, in which it is stated that had the offer of arbitration been proposed in the usual way, some of the Councillors would have supported it. And here allow me to remark that the resolutions of the Council passed at the meeting of July 16th, shows that the question had not been properly considered; otherwise they would not have pronounced "illogical" a proposal that they did not understand.

The consequence of all this squabble is that the dear public have to pay more than double the price for water, and even then but indifferently supplied. We are approaching the driest season of the year; August, September and October will soon be upon us, and if the supply of water is not sufficient now, what will it be then? We have not heard anything more about the city water works; everything pertaining to them is kept a profound secret. All that is known at present is that a Water Commissioner has been appointed at a pretty good salary, which I hope he regularly receives; but I am afraid that that will not bring water into the empty barrels of private houses for this summer, and in order to attain that desirable object, I think it is time that the citizens in want of water should take the matter in hand, and put a stop by some means or other to the penury of water at twelve and sixteen buckets for one dollar.

A SUFFERER.

A dream came o'er me as I lay
With head on pillow pressed,
Of such a splendid fitting coat
And Pants, and such a Vest.
Me thought that as I walked abroad
All eyes on me were cast,
But ah! my dream it passed away
'Twas far too bright to last.
But still before my eager gaze
Would come the dream of other days.
One day as I walked out alone,
My mind with sadness fraught
I wondered if in this good town
Such Clothing could be bought;
Just then a friend was passing bye
Who saw the sadness in my eye,
So kindly asked me, him to tell
What grief o'er me had cast a spell
I told him of the vision seen,
Said he, go buy of **David Green.**

NOVELTIES.—Music or Maps published, Visiting Cards printed from plates, Books, Cheques, etc., numbered and perforated; also, Charts or Drawing Paper mounted on linen, and the most difficult forms of ruling and book-binding executed with neatness and dispatch. R. T. WILLIAMS, at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, Government street. *

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Fearful State of Anarchy in Spain.

ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF MARSHAL SERRANO.

RIOT IN SAN FRANCISCO.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Ex-Governor Lowe and D. H. Thompson were to-day associated with Wm. G. Derrill for the defense of Lizzie Loyd King, alias Kate Stoddard.

ST. LOUIS, July 21.—In the town of Louisiana, Pike county, Mo., eight deaths from cholera are reported between 8 and 12 o'clock last night, causing a great panic. Many of the inhabitants are fleeing.

CINCINNATI, July 21.—Three deaths from cholera are reported to-day.

PHILADELPHIA, July 21.—John C. Cloud started hence this evening to row to New Orleans for a wager of $5,000, the conditions being that he will not sleep on shore till he reaches the latter place. The boat will be carried over the mountains and put into the Ohio river. The boat weighs sixty pounds.

NEBRASKA.

OMAHA, July 21.—One thousand Mormons for Salt Lake passed here yesterday. To-day two hundred Russian Mennonites left here for Columbus, Nebraska.

EUROPE.

MADRID, July 21.—The crews of the Spanish men-of-war Almanza, Vittoria, Mendez Mines and Fernando el Catolico having revolted, the Government has issued a proclamation declaring them pirates, and authorizing their capture and treatment as such by any foreign power on the high seas. Decrees are also issued dismissing from the public service Generals Contrals and Pierrad, and removing from office the civil Governors of Cordova, Murcia, Pontevedra, Leone and Greenz.

General Pavia has been appointed Captain General of Andalusia.

Estramadura, in the Province of Alicante, has declared itself an independent canton.

A majority in the Cortes propose to move a vote of censure on the Government for declaring the in urgent crews pirates.

It is reported that Prierce, a member of the International Society of England, is in command of the revolted men-of-war.

BIARRITZ, July 21.—An attempt was made here yesterday to assassinate Marshal Serrano, while he was walking in the grounds near his villa. The would-be assassin was arrested.

WEST INDIES.

HAVANA, July 21.—An official dispatch from Santiago de Cuba announces a heavy engagement with insurgents; no particulars.

MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 16.—Yellow fever is spreading on the Gulf Coast, and cholera has appeared in Vera Cruz.

The elections are going on quietly throughout the country. The Liberals claim the election of their candidates for Judge of the Supreme Court and Attorney General.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21.—A serious fight occurred to-day near Lone Mountain, amongst a large lot of Irish laborers. Clubs and knives were freely used and several men severely injured. Finally a young man by whom some of the rioters were employed seized a club and went through them right and left with so much execution that he quelled the disturbance. A party of the rioters then charged on the Chinese washhouse, and were about to discourage Chinese emigration, when the boss pulled out a revolver and sent three bullets amongst the scoundrels. The courageous washman, defending himself and house, surprised them, and they scattered in every direction. No arrests were made, no officers being near the place.

The Wreck of the Geo. S. Wright.

EDITOR STANDARD:—My attention has been called to an article published in your paper several days since relative to the loss of the steamer Wright, wherein it is stated that I had an Indian in my employ who was cognizant of the murder of the crew or passengers who were aboard of the steamer when wrecked. To allay any excitement that may arise from such a rumor I will briefly state the facts which gave rise to such a report.

On my arrival here the trip previous to the present, I had a Bella Bella Indian on board of the sloop who was well acquainted with the Bella Coola Indians who were the first parties to find that portion of the wreck which floated ashore at or near Cape Caution. He, from their action, &c., had an idea that some of the passengers had landed and were murdered. He imparted his suspicion to me, and I employed him to endeavor to ferret out the evidence. In the meantime I called on the Governor stated the case, who promptly referred me to Hon. G. A. Walkem. Mr. Walkem immediately authorized me to offer any suitable reward for information that would lead to the apprehension and conviction of any person connected or implicated. I offered the Indian and also one of the Bella Coola tribe three hundred dollars if it could be proven. Since then they have endeavored to obtain information, but so far have failed, and in my opinion having travelled in a small boat over the same water that the Wright must have been in on the night of her loss, I have no idea that any ever escaped. She must have struck on some of the rocks off or near Cape Caution—at the time more than probable a heavy snow storm was raging and strong south-west wind—with a flood tide. The tide runs strong, and with the wind set her up toward the rocks. The water was so cold that no one could have lived in it an hour. Not one of her boats have ever been found, and they must have gone down with the ship. The bowsprit and the mainmast are ashore at Indian Cove, showing that she must have broken in two, as the mast was uninjured and could not have been taken out by human hands in a better condition than when first found on the beach. They were cast up at the highest spring tide mark, showing that they drifted in with the flood. So far, with the exception of a few doors and planks, this is all that has ever been seen of her.

Lately a barrel of oil was picked up in the Alaska tide, which was on the Wright.

There is a current that sets up from the Pacific Ocean, goes through Queen Charlotte's Sound, to the northward, similar to the Gulf Stream on the Atlantic side; consequently had the Wright been wrecked to the north of Cape Caution none of her stuff would have ever floated to the southward.

If there has been any murder committed on any passengers it will undoubtedly leak out, and I will be made acquainted with it. The Indians stated to have committed the deed have left for their home, and then should there be any truth in the report, it will not long be kept a secret. One of the Indians employed in hunting up the evidence will leave here in a few days; but my opinion is that they all found a watery grave.

W. H. WOODCOCK.

VICTORIA, July 21, 1873.

The Ship of State.

EDITOR STANDARD:—When a gallant ship properly manned, well found in provisions, and under a good captain is at sea, nothing probably in the world excels its management. Amid the roaring of the storm or sailing in the gentle trade winds, or in calms, all is methodical. Every man on board the ship knows his station and his duty. Should any one fail to be at his post, some disaster would certainly ensue; yet although the safety of the ship depends upon the individual attention of each seaman to his post they individually are not the ships motive power, wind excepted it is the commander, and when he gives the word of command, ready about, the cook who leaves his galley and flys to the fore-sheet is not the party who puts the ship upon the opposite tack; it is the gallant man who treads the quarter deck, that scans the position and who says, let go and haul.

How necessary is it that we should have a good commander upon the quarter deck of the Ship of State, that we may all pull in unison and with accord for the common good of the State. Have we a good captain in command of the Canadian ship? She is a fine boat built after the latest model; being a confederacy she is divided into parts; thus if one compartment should be injured, yet she would not sink under a good commander and helmsman, she would carry her crew through the most dangerous perils and keep them in safety. Some people say that we have that man at the wheel who must not be disturbed. But I fear that there is something wanting in him; let his actions speak for him; and in common justice award to him while on earth some foretaste of the rewards he accept to enshrine his memory with hereafter; a monument of marble or a simple tablet if he wishes. Let us say here lies the body of the man who at the head of his party being a majority on the floor of Parliament appealed to the country for simple justice in God's name, and in God's name let us outside of Parliament do him justice, if injustice is the charge against him.

Sir John Macdonald and his speech reported in the Montreal *Gazette*, May 7, 1873.

EXTRACT NO. 1.—"That from the very conception of the idea up to the placing of the charter in the hands of the Pacific Railroad Company they were actuated and moved by a desire to promote the best interests of this Dominion."

EXTRACT NO 2.—"That in every action the Government had taken for the purpose of establishing a Canadian Pacific Railroad Company, they acted for the best interests of the country, and just as a man on a dark night keeps his eyes steadily fixed on the light before him, so had they their eyes on one thing, namely, to endeavor according to the instructions given them, according to the authority they had received from Parliament, according to the responsibilities thrown on them to act according to what in their judgments—the judgment might be wrong, because they were only human—would enable that great railway to be most economically constructed, maintained, worked and managed for the interests of Canada and Canadians, excluding every foreigner, alien or American from participating in it."

Such are the recognized views of the Canadian commander. I do not agree with him or the party from whom he receives his instruction, be they who they may. I speak in a political sense. I did once hope to see Canada a nation; she may be one, but never a great one equal to the United States of America. Look at the narrow and contracted views of this great political leader and compare his views with the wide and expensive welcome extended to capitalists and laborers of every clime and nation by the statesmen of that country. No enterprise is shut out from them, no investment locked against them. He might as well shut his doors against emigration, and forbid the poor emigrant from Faderland or sunny France who may be serving out his probation before he can take the oath of allegiance on a piece of land alongside the great Pacific Railroad, from cutting wood or even selling it to the company, although it is his adopted home. Yea even he may not invest his savings in the stock of the company, because he is not Canadian by birth. Love of country indeed is beautiful, but my love of it is to see it powerful as well as patriotic; our institutions aristocratic though they may be, will gain converts as fast as Republicanism, provided we welcome them and their capital into our modes of making money and getting rich.

I am amazed at the adulation and prostration of the intellect of Canada, when they bow down and tremble before this contracted image of power. Intelligence of very high order he certainly does possess; wit such as lawyers admire is at his command; learned in Parliamentary rules, he guides his followers to where he wishes; and so far has made tolerably good bargains at the expense of what we all hold very dear.

I will not charge him with cowardice on behalf of Canada; he tendered the United States with one of our Queen's children in the front of the battle, better blood for a tournament was not needed. Grant possibly saw that the Fenians were repulsed and his own battalions had been disbanded and sent to their homes, thus war was postponed. The celebrated Congress inaugurated by Sir Edward Thornton, brought about the arbitration of Geneva. Sir John A. Macdonald was summoned there. The tangible and irrefutable damage done to Canada by the Fenian raids and the disturbance to trade was a matter of fact and figures, and as such were an offset against the Alabama claims. He stood firm at the frontier with 'chamberlains' rifles to meet the foe. Why did he not at the Congress insist upon indemnity without concession? Why surrender that which we all held so dear? the fisheries, what claim had the Americans to them; they had not laid waste and devastated the seaboard from Annapolis Royal to Quebec, and yet for a consideration, £2,500,000, say, or $12,500,000,000, he has submitted and allows Americans to enter into our harbors. I may say almost into our kitchens and take the salmon from off our table. Would Sir Edward Thornton have suggested to allow the Americans to enter the harbors of Great Britain for like purposes? Or will he at some future Congress permit France and Prussia to cast their nets in Portsmouth harbor? Canadians and British North Americans love their homes and firesides; they also revere the sod which covers the bones of their fathers. No fear but that they will defend them. He has surrendered that which every hand in the Dominion not palsied would have stricken a blow for. The island of San Juan being a part of Canada was also put up for sale, and has been swept away from us. Whether he consented to throw this island into the bargain or not does not appear. The statesmen of England are more to blame for this than Macdonald; than the men who had watched over the patrimony of our mother land with such vigilance for so many years, and whose seamen had surveyed the dark and stormy waters of Puget Sound, and stood watch and ward through many a dark and wintry night all for naught. The shades of Cook and Vancouver, Rosario and DeHaro, will haunt the geographers who have decided in favor of the Straits of Haro being the channel, between Vancouver Island and the Mainland. Let Kaiser William get of his merchants to charter a ship or ships other than those propelled by steam to enter Fuca Straits, and pass through Johnstone Straits, and ask them what channel his ship master would take. Or let him try any any insurance office and see if he can insure his ships through the Straits of Haro at the same rate as he can insure by the Straits of Rosario. The wording of the Ashburton Treaty was plain; it was from Point Roberts to the centre of the channel thence to the ocean. Not from San Juan to the centre of the channel. But I have travelled out of the channel of my proposition and got into the whirls and currents of the Straits of Haro myself. To sum up, as Parliament by a majority of 107 to 76, 31, thirty-one have exonerated Sir John and his party from bribery and corruption in granting the charter, the people of the Dominion are morally bound to acquiesce, although I think a great error was made in ever creating such a monopoly. They will govern the sales of the public lands, and must necessarily exercise a great influence at popular elections. That he has proved himself equal to his position in many respects none deny; yet McKenzie has met him at all points, and is evidently his equal if not his superior in many respects; especially upon public accounts and appropriations. Sir John has had able and willing men to assist him through so far with colossal energy; they have bestrode this continent on the north, and have saddled the Rocky Mountains. His engineers in compliance with the agreement will soon fasten the girths thereof with the iron rail of the great Pacific Railroad. But has justice been done to British Columbia; was it not agreed that this undertaking should be commenced in July of this year? What are the signs of the great public works that were to be done here? Marine Hospital, Custom House, Post Office and Dry Dock. Are they being built at all or upon a scale that would signify future importance? We see all that we have received, and each man can judge for himself.

Yours respectfully.

JAS. N. THAIN.

VICTORIA DISTRICT, 18th July, 1873.

Imprisonment for Debt.

EDITOR STANDARD:—I was somewhat surprised, as were many others with whom I have been conversing on the subject of matter contained in your issue of yesterday, in the County Court proceedings—Hall vs. Bryant. The merits of the case I am not conversant with, but that portion of it wherein the plaintiff is committed to prison for nonpayment of costs—some $30 or $40—for 20 days, seems to me most uncharitable, if legal. I should have thought the proper course would have been to levy by distress upon the goods and chattels, and if the party concerned be not possessed of sufficient over and above what the law allows his family, the defendant and Court should be satisfied with what he can spare from his daily earnings, over the amount necessary to provide the common wants of life. Suppose, for instance, the defendant and Court cast the plaintiff into prison for 20 days; his salary must necessarily stop; what is then to become of a large family? Is the object to make paupers of them during his incarceration for the paltry amount which he is unable to pay in a lump sum. If such is the law, which I very much doubt, I think it iniquitous, and should as soon as possible be repealed. I was under the impression that imprisonment for debt was one of those rude parts of legislation of the dark ages of the old world, and in lieu of any legislation on the subject in this colony, was at one time introduced here; but colonial legislation, adverse to this code, superceded the unwise course.

JUSTICE.

Victoria, July 22, 1873.

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JOHN DEWE,
Chief P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office.
17 June, 1873. jy16 2mdw

Land Registry Ordinance 1870.

LOT No. 286 VICTORIA CITY.

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H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, 15th March, 1873. jy11

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
24th June. 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following gentlemen have been appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, to form Courts of Appeal under the Road Tax Act 1870, The Road Tax Extention Act 1873, and The Wild Land Tax 1873, for the several Districts set opposite their respective names.

Courts will be held on the 7th July, in the several localities named, at places and hours to be fixed by each Court.

VICTORIA DISTRICT, ESQUIMALT " ESQUIMALT TOWN, METCHOSIN DISTRICT, LAKE & SAANICH " } K. McKenzie, Esq.; F. J. Roscoe, Esq.; R. Williams, Esq.,

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" " NICOLA LAKE—S Moore, Esq.

Electoral District, LILLOOET. E H Saunders, Esq.

" " CARIBOO—H M Ball, Esq.

By Command.

JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

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NOTICE.

YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that C. A. BACON, G. I. STUART, R. E. JACKSON, D. LENEVUE, and G. J. FINDLAY, intend to apply for a Crown Grant of Land described as under:—30 chains long by 6 wide, adjoining on the Easterly side of land comprised in Bristol and May's Prospecting License, same being between continuation of lines forming sides of Land applied for by the Yale Silver Mining Company.

Dated, Victoria, 12th June, 1873. je16

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
20th June, 1872.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:

GEORGE COXON, ESQUIRE, to be Government Agent at Lytton.

GEORGE COXON, ESQUIRE, to be Assessor and Collector of Road TAX, and Land Collector of Land TAX, for the Lytton and Cache Creek Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Yale, *vice* T. R. BUIK, ESQUIRE, deceased. je24.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until Monday the 25th day of August, 1873, for the following Pipes for supplying water to the City of Victoria.

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Security will be required for the due performance of the contract.

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JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Commissioner.

City Council Chambers,
Victoria, B. C., 5 June, 1873, ja6

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
6th June, 1873.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following Collectors under and to carry out the provisions of "The Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1871":—

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF LILLOOET.

E. Budwig, Esq., Polling Division of Lillooet.
C. E. Pope, Esq., " Clinton.
R. P. Ritchie, Esq., " Canoe Creek.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CARIBOO.

W. McColl, Esq., Polling Division of Barkerville
A. Lindsay, Esq., " Lightning.
A. Barlow, Esq. " Quesnelmouth
R. H. Young, Esq. " Williams Lake
S. Smith, Esq., " Keithley Creek

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

J. Miller, Esq., Polling Division of Burrard Inlet.
W. D. Ferris, Esq " North Arm
J. McCutcheon, Esq., " Chilliwhack.
J. Mackie, Esq., " Langley.
V. B Tait, Esq., " New Westminster.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NEW WESTMINSTER CITY, V.

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ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

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H. B. Good, Esq " Lake.
J. Baker, Esq., " South Saanich.
A. Anderson, Esq., " North Saanich.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF COWICHAN.

F. Foord, Esq., Polling Division, of Salt Spring Island.
H. A. S. Morley, Esq., " Cowichan.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO.

W. Stewart, Esq. je9

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th May, 1873.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint H. B. GOOD, ESQUIRE, to be a Registrar under and to carry out the provisions of "The Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and "The Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872." je29

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
12th June, 1873.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint H. V. EDMONDS, Esq., of New Westminster, to be a Gold Commissioner under and to carry out the provisions of the "Gold Mining Ordinance, 1869," the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872," and the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1873."

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
12th June, 1873.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint H. V. EDMONDS, Esquire, of New Westminster, to be a Registrar under and to carry out the provisions of "The Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and "The Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872."

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
9th June, 1873.

THE name of COLIN BUCHANAN SWORD, ESQUIRE, of Maisqui, appointed a Justice of the Peace, was Gazetted in error on the 5th of April, as CHARLES B. SWORD.

By Command.

JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
19th June, 1873.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint JOHN MORLEY, ESQUIRE, of Maple Bay, Cowichan, to be a Registrar under and to carry out the provisions of "The Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and "The Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872."

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
7th June. 1873

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR directs the publication, for general information, of the following Despatch with its enclosure from the Secretary of State for the Provinces, respecting the Table of Precedence.

By Command.

JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

The Hon. J. Howe to the Lieutenant-Governor.

B. C., No. 49. OTTAWA,
19th May, 1873.

SIR,—With reference to your Despatch No 18, of the 10th February last, and its enclosures, requesting information as to the application to the Province of British Columbia of the Table of Precedence prescribed in the Despatches of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, of the 23rd and 24th July, 1868, so far as relates to the Members of the Legislative Council of that Province, previous to its union with Canada, I have the honor to transmit to you, for the information of the Legislative Assembly, and the other parties interested, a copy of a Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, from which it will be seen that the Table of Precedence and the Regulations enclosed in the Duke of Buckingham's Despatches above referred to, are as applicable in all respects to the Province of British Columbia as to the other Provinces of the Dominion.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) E. A. MEREDITH,
Under Secretary of State for the Provinces.

The Earl of Kimberly to the Governor-General CANADA.—GENERAL

DOWNING STREET,
28th April, 1873.

MY LORD,—I have the honor to state in reply to your Lordship's Despatch No. 90, of the 31st March last, that I concur in the opinion expressed by the President of the Executive Council, that the Table of Precedence and the Regulations enclosed in the Duke of Buckingham's Despatches of the 23d and 24th of July, 1868, are as applicable in all respects to the Province of British Columbia, as to the other Provinces of the Dominion.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) KIMBERLEY.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
20th June, 1873.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following Collectors under and to carry out the provisions of "The Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1871":—

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY.

William Fernie, Esq., Polling Division of Perry Creek.
Donald C. Chisholm, Esq., Polling Division of Wild Horse Creek.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF WILLIAMS LAKE.

George Cook, Esq., Polling Division of Carboo, *vice*, R. H. Young, Esq.

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New Advertisements.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
30th May, 1873

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct the publication of the following Scale of Fees, to be taken by certain Officers therein mentioned, under the provisions of "The Fees Act, 1873."

By Command.

JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

SCALE OF FEES

To be taken by certain Officers, for their own use, for the duties and services rendered by them, pursuant to "The Fees Act, 1873."

The Fees mentioned in the Schedules A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, and I hereto, and no others, shall be had and taken by the several Officers mentioned in the said Schedules, for their own use, for the duties and services rendered by them, as therein mentioned, subject to such alterations to be made from time to time by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, as occasion may require:—

SCHEDULE A.

Fees to be taken by Justices of the Peace.

For an Information and Warrant for Apprehension, or for an Information and Summons for Assault or other Misdemeanor	1 00
For each copy of Summons to be served on defendant or defendants	25
For a Subpœna	25
(Only one on each side being charged in each case, and which may contain any number of names, and if the justice of the case demands it additional subpœnas shall be issued without charge.)	
For every Recognizance (only one to be charged in each case)	50
For every Certificate of Recognizance	50
For Information and Warrant for surety of the peace for good behaviour, which shall be paid by complainant	1 00
For hearing and determining any case	1 00
For every Commitment for Trial	50
For every Conviction	1 00
For Warrant to levy Penalty	50
Every Commitment for want of Distress	50
For making up Record of Conviction, when the same is ordered to be returned to the Supreme Court by Certiorari	2 00
For copy of any other paper connected with any trial and the minutes of the same if demanded, every folio of one hundred words	20
Every Bill of Costs, when demanded, to be made out in detail	25
Search Warrant, to be paid by the complainant	75
For every Order	50
Copies of Depositions or Examinations, furnished to Prisoners or Defendants, or their Counsel, when proper to be furnished and required by the party of his Counsel, per folio of one hundred words	20

SCHEDULE B.

Fees to be taken by Special Constables.

Arrest of each individual, upon a Warrant, any sum per day not exceeding double the current rate of a labourer's wages in any district wherein the Constable may be or reside at the time of his employment.	
Serving Summons or Subpœna	2 00
Mileage, both ways, per mile	25
Attending Assizes (when necessary) the same rate per day as is mentioned in the first item; provided that no fees for attendance as a witness shall be allowed in addition thereto.	
Attending (when necessary) any Justice of the Peace, on the examination of any prisoners charged with any crime, the same, subject to the proviso last mentioned.	
Mileage, both ways, on serving Summons or Warrant, when the service has not been effected, the Justice of the Peace being satisfied that due diligence was used, per mile	25
Taking prisoners to Gaol, such fair rate of daily wages not exceeding any daily sum herein prescribed, with disbursements necessarily expended in their conveyance, as the convicting Justice of the Peace or Magistrate may allow.	
Summoning Jury for Inquest, such sum per day not exceeding the rate mentioned in the first item as the Coroner may order.	
Attending Inquest, the same daily allowance as is mentioned in the first item, and subject to the above provisoes.	
No attendance mentioned in this Schedule shall be allowed except the same is absolutely necessary in the interests of Justice.	

SCHEDULE C.

Fees to be taken by Coroners.

For every Inquest held by a Coroner, including Precept to Summon Jury, Empanelling Jury, Summons of Witness, Information on examination of Witness, Taking every Recognizance Taking Inquisition and making Return, and every Warrant and Commitment	1 00
Travelling Allowance, per mile	25

SCHEDULE D.

Fees to be taken by Registrars under Marriage Ordinance.

Every Registrar appointed a Registrar under "The Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and "The Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872," shall, for the duties performed by him thereupon, retain the Fees to be paid under the said Acts for his own use.

SCHEDULE E.

Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act.

For registering every Death	25
" " Birth	25
" " Marriage	25

SCHEDULE F.

Bills of Sale Act

For registering every Bill of Sale	2 00
For every search	25
For every copy, per folio of 100 words	20

SCHEDULE G.

Road Tax Act

A commission of ten per cent. on the amount collected, except otherwise agreed upon.

SCHEDULE H.

Land Tax Act.

A commission of ten per cent. on the amount collected, except otherwise agreed upon.

SCHEDULE I.

Cattle Exemption Act.

To retain all Fees payable under the Act.

Provided that none of the above Fees shall be taken for his own use by any Stipendiary Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Constable, or other Officer who shall be in the receipt of a salary for performing any or all of the said duties, except by special permission in writing obtained from the Lieutenant-Governor in Council; nor shall any of the above Schedules have any force or effect where existing Scales of Fees of the Supreme Court or County Courts are applicable, and all fines and fees imposed and collected by or under the direction of any such salaried Officer aforesaid shall be paid into the Treasury as heretofore. my31

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New Advertisements.

[L. S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these present shall come,—GREETING.

GEO. A. WALKEM, *Attorney General.*

WHEREAS by Section 4 of "The Municipality Act, 1872," it is provided, that—"The Lieutenant-Governor in Council, by Letters Patent, under the Public Seal of the Province, and upon the Petition of at least two-thirds of the male freeholders, householders, free miners, pre-emptors, and leaseholders for a term of not less than two years, being respectively of the full age of twenty-one years, and resident in any locality, in which locality there shall be not less than thirty male residents, as aforesaid, shall incorporate such locality as a municipality;".

And whereas a Petition has been addressed to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, as aforesaid, by two-thirds of the male freeholders, householders, free miners, if any, pre-emptors, and leaseholders, as aforesaid, of the Districts of Cowichan North and Chemainus, being respectively of the full age of twenty-one years, and resident in the said Districts, in which locality there are thirty male residents as aforesaid, praying that the said Districts of Cowichan North and Chemainus may be incorporated as a Municipality;

And whereas JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, as such Lieutenant-Governor in Council as aforesaid, under and by virtue of the powers and authorities conferred upon him in Council as aforesaid, by "The Municipality Act, 1872," and "The Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873," and of all other powers and authorities him, as aforesaid, in that behalf enabling, hath ordered and proclaimed that all that piece of land known as the Districts of Cowichan North and Chemainus, and the inhabitants thereof, should, from and after the Eighteenth day of June, instant, be incorporated as a Municipality, under the said Act, and under the provisions hereinafter contained or referred to.

NOW KNOW YE, that by these presents, We do hereby order and proclaim that the said piece of land, and the inhabitants thereof, shall, from and after the date hereof, be incorporated as a Municipality, under the said Acts, and under the provisions hereinafter contained or referred to.

The said Municipality shall be called and known by the name and style of "The Corporation of the District of North Cowichan."

The said Municipality shall comprise all that piece or parcel of land known as the District of Cowichan North, and the District of Chemainus.

The Council shall consist of Seven Councillors, and the whole number present at each meeting thereof shall not be less than four.

The nomination for the first election of Councillors shall be on the 7th day of July, next, at 12 o'clock, noon, and the election, in case a poll shall be demanded, shall be on the 8th day of July, next, and shall continue for one day only, and the poll shall be kept open between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., and William Smithe, Esquire, shall be the Returning Officer thereat.

The nomination shall take place, and the poll, if any, shall be held at the Court House.

Ten days' notice of the time and place of nomination and holding of the poll shall be given by the said Returning Officer; such notice to be posted during that period on the outer door of the Court House, and the Landing places at Maple Bay and Chemainus.

Every person qualified to vote shall have seven votes, being one for each Councillor to be elected, but he may vote for any less number than seven. Provided, always, that he shall not cast more than one vote in favor of any one Candidate, or vote on more than one occasion. And in the event of the number of votes being found to have been equal for any two or more Candidates, one or more of whom, but not all of such Candidates, being by the state of the poll entitled to be declared elected, the Returning Officer shall by a casting vote or votes, as the case may be, decide which of the Candidates for whom the votes may be equal shall be elected. Provided, that the said Returning Officer shall not vote except in the case of an equality of votes as aforesaid.

All expenses attendant upon the said Election shall be borne by the Candidates in equal proportion; such expenses shall not exceed in the whole One hundred dollars.

The Candidates (duly qualified) who shall obtain the greatest number of votes shall be Municipal Councillors.

The voting for Councillors shall be open, and no one shall vote by proxy.

If the Warden, or any of the Municipal Councillors, or any persons on his or their behalf, or any person in partnership with him or them, shall enter into or obtain any interest, directly or indirectly, in any contract entered into by or with the Corporation, such Warden or Municipal Councilor having any interest in any contract, or having become disqualified as aforesaid, shall immediately be disqualified from continuing to be Warden or Municipal Councillor, as the case may be.

Provided, always, that if any Warden or Municipal Councillor, or either of them, shall vote at any meeting of the Municipal Council, or shall not resign his office within the space of one calendar month from the time when he shall have entered into or obtained any interest in any such contract as aforesaid, such Warden or Municipal Councillor shall forfeit to the Corporation a sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars, and as to the said sum, the same may be recovered by action, to be brought in the name of "The Corporation of the District of North Cowichan;" but all votes given under such circumstances shall be valid.

The Returning Officer shall, on the day of nomination, at noon, nominate such persons as shall be put in nomination in that behalf, by some duly qualified voter, as Candidates for the office, as prescribed by "The Municipality Act, 1872," and "The Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873," a show of hands shall then take place, and the Returning Officer shall thereupon declare which of the Candidates has or have been elected by the show of hands.

Any Candidate, or voter on his behalf, may thereupon demand a poll, which shall be taken on the day of polling, and the Returning Officer shall, within twenty-four hours after the close of the poll, publicly declare the number polled for each Candidate, and who has or have been elected by the greatest number of votes.

The Returning Officer, after the declaration of the poll, shall retain the poll books until a Clerk shall be duly appointed, to whom he shall forthwith deliver the same; and such Returning Officer or Clerk, respectively, shall permit any reasonable inspection thereof by any duly qualified voter, and, if required, furnish a certified copy thereof, upon payment of twenty-five cents per hundred words.

Every person who shall have presented himself for nomination and who shall have been elected a Municipal Councillor, must serve, or in default pay a sum of two hundred and fifty dollars towards the Municipal Revenue; such sum, with costs, to be recoverable by the Clerk of the Municipal Council, summarily, before any Justice of the Peace aforesaid.

In case of the death, bankruptcy, insolvency, resignation, or permanent absence for the space of three consecutive calendar months from the Municipality of the Warden for the time being, or in case the Warden shall decline to accept office, the Municipal Councillor who shall be selected by the Municipal Council for that purpose, shall preside at the meetings of the Municipal Council, and shall have the same powers, duties, and privileges, and be subject to the same liabilities and responsibilities which the Warden would have had, and been subject to, if presiding, until the next day of election.

In case of the death, bankruptcy, insolvency, resignation or permanent absence from the Municipality for the space of three calendar months, of any one or more Councillors, or in case of a Municipal Councillor filling such vacancy in the office of Warden, the Warden shall by writing call on the Returning Officer to cause some duly qualified person to be elected in the stead of the vacating Councillor, by some day, not sooner than twenty-one days from the date of the said notice; and such election shall take place accordingly, and such Councillor shall act for the residue of the term for which such Councillor so dead, bankrupt, insolvent, absent, or resigned, would have held the same.

The Warden shall, within ten days from such vacancy, fix the day for the nomination and election of such new Municipal Councillor or Councillors, and the nomination and polling shall be held in manner aforesaid.

The validity of all contested elections shall be tried before any Judge of the Supreme Court, in manner following:—Any voter or candidate may present a petition to the said Supreme Court, praying that the election of any Municipal Councillor may be voided, on either of the following grounds:—by reason of bribery, intimidation, or undue influence; by reason of such Municipal Councillor not having obtained a majority of the votes of the duly qualified electors; by reason of such Municipal Councillor not possessing the requisite qualification or being under some disqualification as aforesaid.

The petitioner shall, in such case, give such security for costs as the Court shall direct.

The order of the Judge on the said petition shall be final and conclusive, and may contain all necessary directions for the holding new elections, or otherwise, as may be requisite.

Such Judge may, from time to time, make rules for regulating the trial of such petitions, and the matters and things connected therewith.

The first meeting of the Council shall be held on the 15th day of July, next, at the Court House Cowichan North, at 3 p. m.

The Municipal Council shall hold its ordinary meetings openly, and no person shall be excluded except for improper conduct. A special meeting may be open or closed, as in the opinion of the Municipal Council expressed by resolution in writing, the public interests require.

Previous to the introduction of any business, referring to the expenditure of any moneys, at any meeting of the Municipal Council, a notice in writing of any business proposed to be brought forward by any member, shall be publicly exhibited for twenty-four hours previously to such meetings, in some public place to be agreed upon by the Municipal Council.

Previous to any meeting of the Municipal Council, other than adjourned meetings, a notice of the time and place of such intended meeting shall be given, three days at least before such meeting, by fixing a copy of the said notice at the Municipal Council Chambers, and such notice shall be signed by the Warden, who shall have power to call a meeting of the Municipal Council as often as he shall think proper.

In case the Warden shall refuse or neglect to call a meeting within three days after a requisition for that purpose, signed by three members of the Municipal Council, at the least, shall have been presented to him it shall be lawful for the said three members to call a meeting of the Municipal Council, by giving such notice to be signed by the said three members, instead of the Warden, and stating therein the business proposed to be transacted at such meeting; and in every case a summons to attend the Municipal Council, specifying the business proposed to be transacted at such meeting, signed by the Warden, or the members, as the case may be, shall be left at the usual places of abode of every member of the Municipal Council, or at the premises in the Municipality where he resides, three clear days at least before such meeting, and no business shall be transacted at such meeting other than the business which is specified in the notice.

The Municipal Council may, out of their own body, from time to time, appoint such and so many Committees, and consisting of such members as they may think fit, for any purposes which, in the discretion of the Municipal Council, would be better regulated and managed by means of such Committees, but all proceedings of such Committees shall be subject to the approval of the Municipal Council.

Every By-Law shall be passed by the vote or resolution of at least three members of the Municipal Council, and at a meeting where at least four members of the Municipal Council shall be present.

A copy of every By-Law shall be transmitted to the Governor by the Clerk of the Municipal Council, within one month after the final passage of the same, signed by the said Clerk, and countersigned by the Warden or presiding Municipal Councillor, and sealed with the Corporate Seal.

At the first meeting of the Council, the Councillors shall elect one of their number to act as Chairman, and to be designated as Warden of North Cowichan, and his powers, privileges and duties, save as altered by, or inconsistent with, these Letters Patent, shall be the same as those prescribed by "The Municipality Act, 1872," and "The Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873."

At such first meeting, or as soon thereafter as possible the Council may appoint a Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, and Assessor or such officers as they may deem necessary who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Council, and receive such remuneration as the Council may by By Law appoint.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of the said Province of British Columbia, in the City of Victoria, in the said Province, this eighteenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

JOHN ASH,
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